



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
MASAKI NISHIYAMA) : Examiner: H.J. Kim
Application No.: 09/532,076) : Art Unit: 2182
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 23, 2004, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows:

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